

# McDermott Will & Emery

Boston Brussels Chicago Düsseldorf London Los Angeles Miami Munich  
New York Orange County Rome San Diego Silicon Valley Washington, D.C.

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

MAY 29 2007

FACSIMILE

Date: May 29, 2007

Time Sent:

<b>To:</b>	<b>Company:</b>	<b>Facsimile No:</b>	<b>Telephone No:</b>
Mail Stop Amendment	U.S. Patent & Trademark Office	571.273.8300	
<b>From:</b>	John A. Hankins	<i>Direct Phone:</i>	858.643.1423
<i>E-Mail:</i>	jhankins@mwe.com	<i>Direct Fax:</i>	858.597.1585
<i>Sent By:</i>	Emily Baldwin/tms	<i>Direct Phone:</i>	858.643.1432
<i>Client/Matter/Tkpr:</i>	064965-0172	<i>Original to Follow by Mail:</i>	No
		<i>Number of Pages, Including Cover:</i>	27
<b>Re:</b>	U.S. Patent Application No. 10/734,237		

**Message:**

Attached please find:

Transmittal (2 pages)

Amendment (12 pages)

Replacement Sheets (11 pages – Figs. 1-9)

Petition for EOT (1 page)

The information contained in this facsimile message is legally privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copy of this facsimile is strictly prohibited. If you have received this facsimile in error, please notify us immediately by telephone and return the original message to us at the below address by mail. Thank you.

IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE ALL OF THE PAGES, PLEASE CALL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Main Facsimile: 858.597.1585 Facsimile Operator: 858.643.1400

U.S. practice conducted through McDermott Will & Emery LLP.

4370 La Jolla Village Drive Suite 700 San Diego, California 92122-1252

Telephone: 858.535.9001

**RECEIVED**  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

**MAY 29 2007**  
CURRENT

Docket No.: 064965-0172

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : JOHN CHIANG  
Appl. No. : 10/734,237  
Filed : December 15, 2003  
Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
LOCKING A TABLE IN A NETWORK  
SWITCH

Customer No.: 41552  
Confirmation No.: 2279  
CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted  
to the Patent and Trademark Office, Fax No. 1.571.273.8300 on May  
29, 2007

*Emily Baldwin*  
Emily Baldwin

Grp./A.U. : 2616  
Examiner: : Phan, Man U.

Mail Stop Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☒ Also attached: Petition for EOT and Figs. 1-9 (11 Replacement Sheets)

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	16	16	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	2	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$120.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$120.00

- ☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 502624 in the amount of \$120.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 502624, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

McDERMOTT WILL &amp; EMERY LLP

*John A. Hankins*  
John A. Hankins  
Registration No. 32,029

Please recognize our Customer No. 41552 as our  
correspondence address.

4370 La Jolla Village Drive, Suite 700  
San Diego, CA 92122  
Phone: 858.535.9001 JAH:tms  
Facsimile: 858.597.1585  
Date: May 29, 2007